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Re: U.S. Application No. 10/520,931 ✓
Filed: January 12, 2005
Title: Transplant Acceptance Inducing Cells of Monocytic Origin
and Their Preparation and Use
Applicants: Bernd Karl Friedrich KREMER *et al.*
Atty. Docket: 18724.008

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO):

1. a Response to Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US);
2. a copy of a Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US);
3. an original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application executed by Bernd Karl Friedrich KREMER, Fred FÄNDRICH, and Maren SCHULZE;
4. an Information Disclosure Statement;
5. a Form PTO-1449 (listing 9 references and supplying 9 references); and
6. a return postcard.

Please stamp the attached postcard with the filing date of these documents and return it to our courier.

In the event that extensions of time beyond those petitioned for herewith are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. Applicants do not believe any fees are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if any additional fees are required in the present application, including any fees for extensions of time, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Arnold & Porter LLP Deposit Account No. 50-2387 referencing matter number 18724.008. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Kristan Lansbery".

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC § 371 dated
October 14, 2005, Applicants submit the following documents for appropriate action by the U.S.
Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC § 371 in the
United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US); and
2. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application,
executed by Bernd Karl Friedrich KREMER, Fred FÄNDRICH, and Maren
SCHULZE (3 pages).

In the event that extensions of time beyond those petitioned for herewith are necessary to
prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby
petitioned. Applicants do not believe any additional fees are due in conjunction with this filing.
However, if any additional fees are required in the present application, including any fees for

extensions of time, authorization to charge such fees is given in the accompanying transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Kristan Lansbery". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Kristan" and last name "Lansbery" clearly legible.

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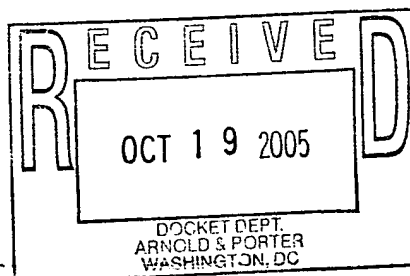
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/12/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/12/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/12/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/12/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/12/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/12/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 01/12/2005

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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